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Supplemental Amendment

In response to a phone interview conducted with Examiner  
Hruskoci on January 4, 2007, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration in  
view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on  
page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.